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SUBJECT: NARCOTICS: DISPOSITION OF US EQUIPMENT PROVIDED TO GOE

REF.: STATE 245086

1. IN RESPONSE TO AN EARLY DECEMBER VERBAL REQUEST BY THE EMBASSY NARCOTICS COORDINATOR, COLONEL GUSTAVO VACA RUILOVA, COORDINATOR GENERAL OF THE MINISTRY OF POLICE AND GOVERNMENT, MAILED A CHART TO THE EMBASSY OUTLINING THE DISPOSITION OF EQUIPMENT PROVIDED BY THE UNITED STATES TO THE GOE UNDER THE NARCOTICS PROGRAM AGREEMENTS. THE CHART WAS MAILED DECEMBER 13 AND RECEIVED IN THE EMBASSY DECEMBER 27.

2. THE CHART, A COPY OF WHICH WILL BE MAILED TO S/NM, DETAILS BY PROVINCE THE LOCATION OF THE EQUIPMENT. PROVINCIAL NARCOTICS UNITS HAVE BEEN THE RECIPIENTS, BUT ALMOST CERTAINLY NOT ALL OF THE VEHICLES ARE BEING USED EXCLUSIVELY FOR NARCOTICS CONTROL GIVEN THE ABSENCE STILL OF FULL-TIME NARCOTICS CONTROL DIVISION PERSONNEL IN THE PROVINCES.

3. THE CHART SHOWS THE LOCATION OF ONLY THIRTEEN OF THE EIGHTEEN VEHICLES PROVIDED UNDER THE PROGRAM, AND FAILS TO IDENTIFY THESE BY SERIAL NUMBER. (TWO OTHER VEHICLES ARE IN USE AT THE POLICE TRAINING INSTITUTE AND ONE OR POSSIBLY TWO HAVE BEEN DESTROYED IN ACCIDENTS.) A LETTER DATED DECEMBER 13 FROM THE USAID DIRECTOR TO THE MINISTER OF GOVERNMENT AND POLICE, POVEDA, CONFIDENTIAL

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REQUESTING INFORMATION IN DETAIL ON THE USE OF ALL

EIGHTEEN VEHICLES, AWAITS RESPONSE.
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